

**Date:** 07/13/2011 02:14 PM  
**From:** Carol Campbell/R8/USEPA/US  
**To:** Pennock.Sonya  
**Subject:** Fw: EPA scrambling to change facts??

---

add to file pile  
Carol L. Campbell, Assistant Regional Administrator  
Office of Ecosystem Protection and Remediation  
United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8  
1595 Wynkoop Street  
Denver, Colorado  
80202

303-312-6340 (W)  
303-312-6071(fax)

----- Forwarded by Carol Campbell/R8/USEPA/US on 07/13/2011 02:14 PM -----

From: Libby Citizen <libbycitizens@gmail.com>  
To: LibbyCitizens@gmail.com  
Date: 07/13/2011 02:04 PM  
Subject: EPA scrambling to change facts??

---

So which is it , Oh mighty EPA...did the bark test positive for amphibole asbestos or not?  
Do you guys just flip a coin ...or close your eyes and guess... or do you play the drinking game... or do you use correct science to detect it??? Oh, wait, scratch that, no science necessary, it's all subjective...  
Mike, Sonya, Victor, Jim, different answers from EPA staff do you draw straws, play hang man....  
How do you decide what information you're going to feed the Montana Citizens ie; the bark issue,Risk Assessment, changing the unit rate, apparently letting Rumelhart's group or others poison Libby all for a buck...which is it??

Sent from my Verizon Wireless BlackBerry

---

**From:** Libby Citizen <[libbycitizens@gmail.com](mailto:libbycitizens@gmail.com)>  
**Date:** Tue, 12 Jul 2011 21:22:22 -0700  
**To:** <[Cirian.Mike@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Cirian.Mike@epamail.epa.gov)>; <[Ketellapper.Victor@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Ketellapper.Victor@epamail.epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: EPA scrambling to change facts??

Hey Mike....

Do you really think we're the vocal minority?

What's wrong with you?

Think we're stupid or what?

----- Forwarded message -----

From: **Libby Citizen** <[libbycitizens@gmail.com](mailto:libbycitizens@gmail.com)>

Date: Tue, Jul 12, 2011 at 8:29 PM

Subject: EPA scrambling to change facts??

To: [LibbyCitizens@gmail.com](mailto:LibbyCitizens@gmail.com)

Although EPA Region 8 is apparently frantically attempting to revise history....and Libby Leaders likewise scramble in CYA efforts,

Libby leaders, thou doth protest too much, and apparently not in the best interest of your community?

Sorry, we see right through the frenzied unfounded roclamations....BASED ON WHAT?

Please provide documentation to back your proclamations about the "safety" of the bark immediately.

THERE CAN BE NOACTUAL PROCLAMATION WITHOUT A PROPER RISK ASSESSMENT.

It's impossible to change facts....WHY DO YOU KEEP TRYING TO CHANGE FACTS WITHOUT A RISK ASSESSMENT ?

Here is their original response from EPA bout the bark in Libby, Montana that apparently tested positive for mphibole asbestos

that is potentially lethal when stirred- ACKNOWLEDGED BY EPA.....

You may want to use your energy to seek out actual science and medical expert opinions, before forming such baseless opinions.

What is EPA Region 8 thinking???

--- On **Mon, 3/7/11**, [Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov) <[Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov)>rote:

From: [Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov) Pennock.Sonya@epamail.epa.gov>

Subject: Additional responses to your questions about the OU5 bark

To: "DC Orr" <[xcav8orr@hotmail.com](mailto:xcav8orr@hotmail.com)>, [filmwest@gmail.com](mailto:filmwest@gmail.com), [gordsull@yahoo.com](mailto:gordsull@yahoo.com)

Date: Monday, March 7, 2011, 1:39 PM

In response to your additional questions regarding the OU5 bark:

EPA does not know where the bark on the OU5 property came from. The bark was removed from the site before EPA developed its final cleanup decision for OU5.

EPA does not know where the bark from OU5 went.

EPA did not fully characterize the material and did not determine a level of contamination. EPA continues to develop its final cleanup decision for OU5.

EPA does not know if the bark that was removed from OU5 "spread contamination."

Sonya Pennock  
Office of Communications & Public Involvement  
US/EPA Region 8  
1595 Wynkoop Street  
Denver, CO 80202-1129  
Phone: [303-312-6600](tel:303-312-6600)



Bark ltr.Rumelhart.8.27.09.pdf